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Sir:

The following is being submitted in response to the Office communication dated October 15, 2003 in the above-captioned application.

Transmitted herewith are formal drawings including the corrected drawing for Fig. 3 which was submitted on January 27, 2003. That is, both a proposed drawing correction and the substitute drawing of Fig. 3 incorporating the corrections were filed on January 31, 2003 and noted as received and accepted by the Examiner on page 2 of the Office Action dated May 5, 2003.


Acceptance of the formal drawings as submitted for a second time is respectfully requested.

CONCLUSION

In view of the above remarks, it is believed that all now pending claims (Claims 1-5, 7-14, 16 and 19-30) are in condition for allowance, and it is respectfully requested that the application be passed to issue. If the Examiner feels that a telephone conference would expedite prosecution of this case, the Examiner is invited to call the undersigned at (978) 341-0036.

Respectfully submitted,

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